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For: NOVEL CRYSTALLINE FORMS OF (S)-CITALOPRAM OXALATE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time for responding to the Final Office Action dated May 7, 2009, up to and including September 7, 2009, for the purpose of permitting the timely filing of the enclosed Request for Continued Examination and Amendment.

Authorization to charge the fee of \$65.00 for the one-month extension of time for a small entity, and/or any additional fees associated with this Petition For Extension of Time is granted in the Fee Transmittal Form being filed concurrently herewith.

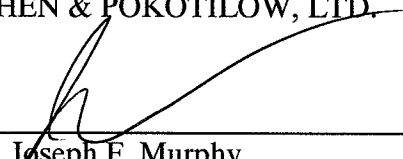
Respectfully submitted,

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August 25, 2009

Please charge or credit our
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